

THE NEWS.

Want You to Shake.
The quinine manufacturers of the country are trying to induce Congress to reimpose the duty on quinine.

St. Patrick's Day in New York.
It is announced that the Irish societies of New York have determined not to parade on St. Patrick's Day.

At Belvidere, N. J., the prisoners in jail attacked and overpowered the keeper. Nine escaped.

Fatal Coal Mine Explosion.
A coal mine explosion by fire-damp at Nanticoke, Penn., a few days ago, resulted in seven or eight deaths.

France to the Rescue.
A Paris Irish Relief Committee has been formed and already \$6,000 francs have been collected.

Killed by a Brother.
John and George Moody quarreled at Richmond, Ky. They were both drinking. John started for George with a knife when the latter drew a revolver and shot him dead.

A Crooked Officer.
Thirty-four indictments in all, have been found against the Comptroller, City Treasurer and Clerk of Elizabeth, N. J., for conspiracy to defraud the city.

The Greenbackers.
The Greenback party in convention at St. Louis, last week, placed in nomination S. B. Dillaye, of New Jersey, for President, and J. B. Chambers, of Texas, for Vice-President.

A Trio of Peace-Makers.
The Paris Peace-Makers have been entered into negotiations with England and the United States, with the view of terminating the war between Chili and Peru.

It Is Human to Err.
Reports received from Ireland say that considerable demoralization is being produced by the famine districts by the promiscuous and indiscriminate distribution of relief funds.

The Same.
We are again apprised of the fact that there is to be another and universal strike at Fall River, Mass. Striking teams to be a good trade in that section of the country.

A Heavy Strike.
At Ashton-under-Lyne, England, 10,000 cotton-weavers have struck in consequence of their employers' refusal to grant an advance of 5 per cent. in their wages.

No Organizing in Iowa.
A bill has passed both branches of the Iowa Legislature, prohibiting either the manufacture or sale of organigrams within that State under the penalty of both fine and imprisonment.

The Bell-Punch Law Repealed.
Both houses of the Virginia General Assembly have passed the bill repealing the Mott Bell-Punch Liquor Law, and re-establishing the license system, to go into operation May 1st.

Freedom for Finland.
A Berlin dispatch says the population of Finland is manifesting a desire for independence. The movement is believed to be a serious one and founded on widespread national feeling.

The Old Song to Be Rehearsed.
A London special says that the case of Arthur Tichborne, so-called, the Claimant, will come up by the middle of April, and will be argued by Mr. Benjamin, the American counsel.

A Mother's Sorrow.
When Warring Schooler, a lad fourteen years old, was carried off by diphtheria, he lay in dying condition, having been shot by some unknown person. Mrs. Schooler, his mother, dropped dead from the shock.

Nobody Found Guilty.
In the case of John Doherty, murdered by a masked mob at Loran, Ont., the jury have just closed the examination and returned a verdict to the effect that he died from gunshot wounds received from a gun in the hands of a party to the jury known.

The San Francisco (Cal.) Troubles.
The Commissioners of Election of the workingmen's party, have ordered an election for treasurers to frame a charter for the City of San Francisco. This is intended to anticipate the action of the Republican Legislature in adopting the McClure Charter.

Tennessee Democratic Convention.
The Democratic of Tennessee will meet in State Convention at Nashville, Tuesday, June 8, to nominate delegates to the Cincinnati Convention and Presidential Electors. A convention will be held August 10 to nominate a candidate for Governor.

Executions.
Three public executions occurred last Friday, Charles, Colby, at Santa Fe, N. M., for the murder of a man named Williams, Walker, Killebrew, at Mexico, Mo., for the murder of L. D. Williamson, in January, 1879, and Joseph H. King, last September.

John Chinaman on His Loc.
A special from Hong Kong says that China is making extensive preparations for war. The Kutchin intelligible has developed new and unexpected complications. The Russian interest in Eastern Siberia have come to be regarded as absolutely dangerous to the peace of the Empire.

A Fight With Belongings.
At Seward, Nebraska, a few days ago a fight occurred at a school-house between the religious meetings were being held which resulted fatally to two persons and the serious wounding of eight others. The meetings were of a revival nature and there was a crowd in the community objected with the result detailed.

Meeting a Deserved Fate.
They have just hanged a negro found in Colleton County, S. C. He was hanged by Judge Lynch's process. According to the reports, he confessed to the murder of a respectable married white woman, of committing the same crime on a colored woman six months ago, of killing a colored girl last April, of four burglaries and innumerable thefts.

Kentucky Hangings.
Governor Blackburn has fixed April 2nd as the day for the execution of Charles Webster, convicted for an outrage on James O'Connell, on the 18th of October, 1878. His companion in crime, George Washington, having been executed on the 21st of February, 1879. Anderson, the wife murderer, will be hanged the same day.

What Cowley Eats.
Rev. Edward Cowley, now at Blackwell's Island for starving little children, is enjoying the following bill of fare: For breakfast, 770 eggs, sweetened with molasses, and eight ounces of bread. For dinner, a pint and a half of soup and some bread and meat. For supper, his diet will alternate between coffee and bread and molasses.

Stopping That Sort of Proceeding.
A late special from New York says: An injunction was granted in the Superior Court of this city this morning restraining the American Union Telegraph Company from occupying or using the wires of the Atlantic and Pacific Company, lately seized by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

The Utes.
The adjustment reached by the Interior Department with the Ute Indians is one of the most notable it has ever made. Each adult male is to receive 160 acres of land in severalty,

and minors and orphans, male or female, a less proportion. The rest of the reservation is to be given up by the Indians. The latter also promise to surrender all engaged in the Meeker massacre.

Execution in Arkansas.
James Howard was hanged at Osark, Franklin County, Ark., for the murder of his wife in January, 1879. Howard's wife was dancing with him at the house of the postmaster at Osark, and he killed her by the hair, dragged her from the room and to his house where he further maltreated her until, from the effects, she died. Several thousand persons witnessed the execution.

Settling a Dispute.
Jeremiah Webster and John Gifford, farmers, living near Chillicothe, Ill., have had a dispute for several months about a division line between their respective farms. Webster started to build a fence on the disputed line, and Gifford shot him, the ball taking effect in his head. Webster died of his wound. Gifford was arrested.

Females in the Ring.
Miss Brown and Miss Mulholland, of Nashville, both of whom have been receiving the attentions of the same young man, met in the street the other day and had a regular hair pulling time of it. They were separated, but later they met again, this time both fully prepared for the fray, and three shots were exchanged by them without effect. No arrests were made.

Newspaper News on the War Path.
Mr. Pulitzer, of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, charged Mr. Hyde, of the Republican, with being drunk while at Washington in the interest of the Democratic National Convention, by which fact, he stated, St. Louis lost the convention in favor of Cincinnati. Mr. Hyde asked Mr. Pulitzer on the street and a fistfight ensued, in which Mr. Pulitzer got considerably the worst of it. No arrests were made.

A Chinese Execution.
The late developments in San Francisco have had a tendency to strike terror to the hearts of Chinamen, who, in consequence, began an exodus to the Eastern States. Several car loads departed in one body. A dispatch from New York announces the arrival in that city of one hundred and fifty Chinamen, and further adds that the rumor is current that five hundred more are on the way with that as their objective point.

A Terrible South Carolina Tragedy.
At the village of Silverstreet, in Newberry County, S. C., Mr. W. Spearman, a respectable gentleman of means and well known as a successful farmer, upon entering his house a few evenings ago, said to his brother, who was sitting at the supper table, "I want to see you, brother." The young man not suspecting anything, bent over, when Spearman, with a large knife, leaping from his chair, struck the jugular vein. The dagger then rushed into the adjoining room, with the knife in his hand, and sought his wife. He threw his arm around her neck, likewise cutting her throat. With bloodied hands, he then rushed back to his wife and plunged the dagger into her back, four inches long. When assistance came it was found that the two men were dead. The wife shortly expired. Mr. Spearman was the most affectionate and loving husband and wife. The only rational hypothesis of the awful deed is that Spearman was suffering under a temporary aberration.

Attempt to Assassinate Gen. Melnikov.
Another attempt has been made to assassinate a member of the Russian Government, Gen. Melnikov, chief of the new Supreme Executive Commission. At St. Petersburg dispatch of the 21st inst. says: Gen. Melnikov, Chief of the new Supreme Executive Commission, was fired at by a young man with a revolver this morning when alighting from his carriage at the Grand Hotel. The man was immediately arrested. The man was immediately arrested. The man was immediately arrested.

Wanted, An Agricultural Opportunity.
Commissioner Lefebvre, in a letter to Representative Lefebvre, says that the Agricultural Department are many and urgent. A suitable building is needed for the accommodation of the employees, for the storage and handling of goods, and for a continuous execution of the agricultural products of the region. The Commissioner urgently recommends the addition of divisions of forestry, meteorology, and a veterinary division. Summing up, the needs in a single phrase, the Commissioner says: "The Department needs an opportunity."

Deaths.
Near Louisville, Ky., Louis Turner and Charles James, two about eighteen years of age, and sons of well known citizens, went down the Illinois River hunting ducks. They did not return at night, causing their friends great anxiety, as it was piercing cold and the wind blowing a gale. The next morning search was begun for the boys, and in the afternoon they were found by a party of hunters, who were attracted by the groans of Turner, who was still alive but unconscious, and could not be revived. Young James was found frozen dead.

Double Tragedy.
John M. Doubly fatally shot his sister-in-law, Miss Nannie Berry, in Louisville, the week past, and then committed suicide. He married Miss Berry three years ago, in Missouri, where she resided with herself and wife, and later, removing to Louisville with them, she became a member of the French community, which she kept company, and of whom Nannie became intensely jealous. When Nannie was with her, she declared she would leave the house. He sprang forward, shot her twice and then turned on her, firing a ball crashing through her own brain.

A Terrible State of Affairs.
Great excitement is reported as prevailing in the city of Louisville, N. C., over the prevalence of an epidemic of cholera. The surrounding country is full of dogs, and has been attacked by the rabies, and are running wild over the country biting other dogs. Such is the case in the city of Louisville, where the dogs and the children are detained at home. Several persons have been fatally bitten by the rabid animals. The authorities will probably have to call out an armed force in order to exterminate the dogs attacked with the disease.

An Indiana Murder.
A quarrel between Edward Clark and Thomas Pool, of Nashville, Ind., resulted in the former shooting the latter in cold blood the past week. The quarrel was over five dollars which Clark claimed Pool owed him. After Pool had left Clark and gone down the street twenty-five yards, the latter fired his revolver, and, taking deliberate aim, shot him fatally. Clark then jumped on a horse and attempted to escape across the country, but was shortly overtaken by the sheriff and a posse of volunteers, and captured him. Clark is now in jail, awaiting trial. The shooting was accidental.

The French Cabin.
The following advertisement has appeared in the London papers: "In reply to numerous inquiries made by the senders of American telegrams, this company begs to give notice that its tariff will be fixed at two shillings a word for messages to New York, being a reduction of thirty-three per cent. on existing rates. The company adopts the two-shilling tariff without intention of maintaining it without increase." Note: This indicates the failure of the negotiations between the Anglo-American Company and the new company for an identical tariff and working agreement.

The Senn Murder and Suicide.
Solomon Senn, of Chicago, the 30th of last August, became involved in a quarrel with one of his workmen, named Engleman, during which the latter passed between the Senns. Senn was struck by the first shot, and returned to the scene with revolver in hand, with which and without a word of warning, he shot Engleman dead. He immediately retreated to his private office again where he committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. Engleman's wife at once brought suit against Senn's estate for damages, and last Saturday a verdict was rendered in her favor for \$4,000.

The Cause of the Tay Disaster.
The investigation in progress respecting the cause leading to the Tay bridge disaster in Scotland is developing the fact that this work

was very carefully put together. Painters who painted the bridge last summer testify that they saw numerous bolt holes empty, found bolts in holes where there should have been rivets, and found rivets without heads and bar loosened and nuts unsecured; that one of the supporting columns of the high girders was cracked from top to bottom and held together with four hoop-bands.

Strikes in the East.
The employees of the Steiny plan manufacturing establishment in New York are on a strike, about five hundred in number. It is stated that if they do not accede to the employer's proposition by the 15th inst., the plant will be closed. The strike will shut off, thus throwing six thousand men out of employment and rendering it impossible for the craftsmen to bring support those now out on strike. The furniture factory strikers still hold out. Tailors, cutters, pressers and machine operators of New York and Brooklyn have appointed committees to wait on proprietors and demand an increase of wages, and if not granted, will strike. The boiler-makers now demand an advance in wages of 15 per cent.

Execution of Melodetsky.
Melodetsky, the nihilist, who attempted to shoot General Melnikov at St. Petersburg, was taken from the fortress to the place of execution, strapped in a sitting position on a black velvet chair, with his back to the wall, a placard bearing the words, "State Criminal," was attached to his breast. A company of Cossacks formed an escort. The scaffold was surrounded by infantry drawn up in a hollow square. On the way to the scaffold, Melodetsky was taken to the place of execution, strapped in a sitting position on a black velvet chair, with his back to the wall, a placard bearing the words, "State Criminal," was attached to his breast. A company of Cossacks formed an escort. The scaffold was surrounded by infantry drawn up in a hollow square. On the way to the scaffold, Melodetsky was taken to the place of execution, strapped in a sitting position on a black velvet chair, with his back to the wall, a placard bearing the words, "State Criminal," was attached to his breast. 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